

Eastern Region/Carbon County Quality Improvement Committee

Meeting Dates:	15Apr10 20May10 – Cancelled Due to Graduation 17Jun10	Review and Action Plan	Follow-up
Dash Board Items:		.	.
	Domestic Violence Victim/Perpetrator Treatment	<p>15Apr10– Entire meeting concentrated on gathering information regarding what the needs are regarding domestic violence and strengthening victim treatment with special guests from the Domestic Violence Shelter. Also a brainstorming session with the DV shelter to identify what they have tried, and what other assistance or ideas that they feel we need to work on in our community. Specifically regarding the concerns that our repeat maltreatment in CPS seems to be coming from the victim finding a new person who continues the cycle, rather than the past perpetrator.</p> <p>20May10 – No meeting</p> <p>17Jun10– The following recommendations were discussed, and the team decided upon which ones we wanted to make recommendations on and present to the Regional Director. Recommendations will be formalized and presented to the committee for finalization and presentation to Regional Director in August.</p> <p>Proposal:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Caseworker (SOCC) 2) Groups 0-7, 8-11, 12-15, 16 and older 3) DV worker attending first visit with adult victim 4) Pamphlet <1/2 services, 1/2 basic needs food, clothing, shelter <p>Strongly Recommended:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) IHS, 2nd case 12 months 	Create proposals for finalization to the committee at August meeting.

		2) Parent empowerment referred to assist victims 3) Recruit volunteers to help transport (Diana coordinate) 4) Use CJC for groups – kids and adults	
	System of Care/Creative Interventions	17Jun10 – This was discussed specifically in connection with the Homeless Youth Initiative. Periodic quarterly updates will be provided to the committee on progress and needs in this area.	
	CPS	During both of April and June meetings, domestic violence victim treatment was discussed as a possible way to minimize repeat maltreatment. A formal report will be made to director in August.	
	Transition to Adult Living	17Jun10 – Discussion was held on our kids who are aging out of the system and trying to get them some services. We assigned them a system of care worker. They'll help them apply for college and take them to job interviews. Some of the children have a good place to go back to. DCFS has identified 8 children that could be homeless after aging out without further interventions.	Updates will be provided in August on the Homeless Youth Initiative.
Studies:		June 17, 2010 -A report was passed out a report on delinquent youth in DCFS custody.	
CPS Data Reviewed:		June 17, 2010 - passed out data on the removals in Price. The last 6 months neglect is 89 %. Child endangerment and domestic violence fall in that category. The second page shows in the last year we removed 85 children, 46 in the last 6 months.	We will be targeting this issue of removals in August as a goal for remainder of the year.